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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, NOVEMBER 16, 2001

PETITION OF

BROADSLATE NETWORKS OF VIRGINIA, INC.

CASE NO. PUC010165

For Declaratory Judgment
Interpreting Interconnection
Agreement with Central Telephone
Company of Virginia, Inc. and United
Telephone-Southeast, Inc. ("Sprint")
and Directing Sprint to Provision
Unbundled Network Elements In
Accordance with the Telecommunications
Act of 1996

ORDER GRANTING ABEYANCE

On November 15, 2001, Broadslate Networks of Virginia, Inc. ("Broadslate") filed its Motion For An Abeyance, requesting that further proceedings be held in abeyance for ninety (90) days, pending settlement negotiations between the parties. The Respondents, Central Telephone Company of Virginia, Inc., and United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. ("Sprint"), do not oppose Broadslate's Motion.

The Commission finds that Broadslate's Motion should be granted. If at the end of ninety days the parties have not resolved all issues in this case, Broadslate and Sprint should file a statement of remaining issues to be resolved.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Further proceedings in Case No. PUC010165 are hereby held in abeyance for ninety (90) days from the date of this Order.
- (2) Broadslate and Sprint are ordered to file a statement of issues remaining open at the end of ninety (90) days if no settlement is reached.
- (3) This case is continued for further order of the Commission.